

Ocean Rate Bulletin



Animal Feed:

Total TEU/FEU:

The numerator represents the total number of 20-foot equivalent unit (TEU) shipped, by all carriers, during April, 2003. The denominator represents the total number of TEU shipped, by carriers, throughout the 2002 calendar year. Source: Port Import Export Reporting Service (PIERS), Journal of Commerce, April, 2003.

Market Share-April:

Each carrier's current market share is based on the number of containers shipped during April, 2003. Source: PIERS, April, 2003.

Market Share-CY 2003:

Each carrier's market share is based on the total number of containers shipped throughout the 2002 calendar year. Source: PIERS, 2002.

Transit Time

Each carrier's transit time is calculated on departure from Seattle, WA (for WC) and New Orleans, LA (for EC) unless otherwise noted. Source: "The Pacific Shipper On-Line" and "The Shipping Guide on the Web."

Ocean Rates

Ocean rates are applicable for June 30, 2003. Rates are per 20-foot container. Rates are quoted in U.S. dollars and represent container-yard to container-yard shipments. Source: through the E-Transport on-line rate tariff, PLUS Tariff retrieval systems, and individual shipping line websites.

Container Rate

Container rates for Animal Feed are quoted on full 20-foot dry containers unless otherwise noted.

Container movements of animal feed are defined by the Harmonized Tariff System as "Animal Feed, Prepared, Except Dog or Cat Food" and "Veg. Material, Wastes, Etc., for Animal Fe

Definitions

- AI = All Inclusive
- ARB = Arbitrary Charge
- BAF(FAF) = Bunker Adjustment Factor is also known as fuel adjustment factor.
- CAF = Currency Adjustment Charge
- CFS = Container Freight Station - used to consolidate shipments.
- Chassis = Chassis Surcharge
- KT = 1,000 Kilograms (Metric Ton).
- PC = Per Container
- THC = Terminal Handling Charge, also known as Container Yard Charge (CY).
- FEU = 40-foot Equivalent Unit (40-foot container).

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Antwerp, Belgium

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Monthly Market Share For: April 2003

Month\Year 5.0 \ 73.4

<i>Carrie</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share CY</i>	<i>Transit Time in Days</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>Surcharges:</i>							<i>Size</i>	<i>Container Rate</i>
					<i>BAF</i>	<i>CHASSIS</i>	<i>CAF</i>	<i>THC</i>	<i>CFS Rec</i>	<i>ARB</i>	<i>Cotton R.</i>		
Lykes Lines	60%	80%											
COSCO	40%	14%	18	\$1,250	\$158			\$420					\$1,828

Average Container Rate \$1,828

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Busan, South Korea

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Monthly Market Share For: April 2003

Month\Year 14.0 \ 62.1

Month\Year 14.0 \ 62.1

Carrie	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time in Days	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:							Size	ContainerRate
					BAF	CHASSIS	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB	Cotton R.		
Hyundai	43%	40%	12	\$960	\$184								\$1,144
Hanjin	29%	6%	11	\$1,250 ²⁴	\$230	\$40							\$1,520
OOCL	14%	16%	11	\$2,000	\$184	\$40							\$2,224
Lauritzen	14%	6%		\$550									\$550
Evergreen	0%	16%	20	\$680	\$184	\$40							\$904
NYK Line	0%	11%	12	\$565									\$565
Maersk-SeaLand	0%	3%	15	\$787									\$787

Average Container Rate \$1,321

24 Rate is based on a 40 foot container, not a 20 foot container.

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Monthly Market Share For: April 2003

Month\Year 40.2 \ 148.2

<i>Carrie</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share CY</i>	<i>Transit Time in Days</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>Surcharges:</i>							<i>Size</i>	<i>Container Rate</i>
					<i>BAF</i>	<i>CHASSIS</i>	<i>CAF</i>	<i>THC</i>	<i>CFS Rec</i>	<i>ARB</i>	<i>Cotton R.</i>		
Maersk-SeaLand	75%	77%	20	\$787									\$787
Hyundai	15%	15%	14	\$860	\$184								\$1,044
K Line	10%	6%	16	\$680	\$184	\$40							\$904
<i>Average Container Rate</i>													\$838

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Keelung/Kaohsiung, Taiwan

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Monthly Market Share For: April 2003

Month\Year 16.0 \ 67.0

Carrie	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time in Days	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:							Size	Container Rate
					BAF	CHASSIS	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB	Cotton R.		
Evergreen	50%	42%	17	\$920	\$184								\$1,104
Maersk-SeaLand	25%	27%	20	\$787									\$787
Hyundai	25%	13%	13	\$898	\$184								\$1,082
NYK Line	0%	9%	11	\$1,928	\$184	\$40	4%						\$2,229

Average Container Rate \$1,019

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Manila, Philippines

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Monthly Market Share For: April 2003

Month\Year 2.0 \ 17.0

Carrie	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time in Days	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:							Size	Container Rate
					BAF	CHASSIS	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB	Cotton R.		
Maersk-SeaLand	100%	12%	24	\$947									\$947
APL	0%	59%	16										
Lauritzen	0%	18%											
Hapag-Lloyd	0%	6%	20	\$675	\$184	\$40							\$899
Hatsu Marine Ltd.	0%	6%	19										
Average Container Rate													\$947

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Tokyo/Yokohama, Japan

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Monthly Market Share For: April 2003

Month\Year 21.8 \ 86.8

Carrie	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time in Days	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:							Size	Container Rate
					BAF	CHASSIS	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB	Cotton R.		
Westwood	46%	53%		\$650			44%						\$1,381
Hyundai	28%	12%	11	\$1,350	\$184								\$1,534
NYK Line	17%	4%	10	\$1,670	\$184	\$40	45%						\$2,646
Evergreen	9%	7%	14	\$1,610	\$184	\$40				\$930			\$2,764
Lykes Lines	0%	12%	19 ⁴	\$490	\$50								\$540
Lauritzen	0%	6%		\$500									\$500
OOCL	0%	5%	10	\$940	\$184	\$40							\$1,164

Average Container Rate \$1,770

⁴ Transit time is based on departure from Long Beach, CA.